

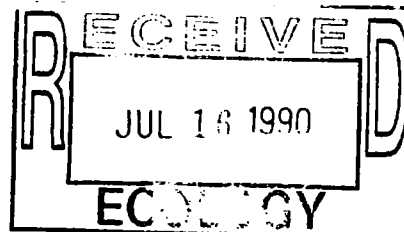


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Dear Brad:

Enclosed is the monthly progress report for the Spokane site. This first report covers the time period from initiation of activities through June 30. Future progress reports will cover the preceding calendar month and be submitted within two weeks (usually by the 15th of the subsequent month).

I have attempted to provide the report in the format you suggested during the telecon on July 13. If you have any suggestions for revisions in the format or content, please provide them to me and I will incorporate them in the next report.

Very truly yours,

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**MONTHLY PROGRESS REPORT
GE-SPOKANE PROJECT**

I. ACTIONS COMPLETED IN MAY AND JUNE:

- o Submitted revised Work Plans to WDOE incorporating agreed upon changes.
- o Obtained WDOE's consent to remove objections to issuance of demolition and grading permits by the City of Spokane.
- o Mobilized to the Site on June 4.
- o Moved M. Riley's personal property from southern portion of WWP property to the north end of WWP property.
- o Obtained Fact Sheet from WDOE community relations staff as a handout in response to any inquiries from the public or the media.
- o Held a briefing session at the site on June 20 for M. Riley and WWP personnel.
- o Held a meeting at the site on June 26 with BEI, Geosafe and WWP personnel to discuss details and schedule of the ISV Demonstration Test Program.
- o Collected concrete and asphalt core samples outside of Service Shop and North Warehouse. Submitted to Analytical Resources for PCB analysis.
- o Collected soil/fill samples beneath core holes; submitted samples for PCB analysis.
- o Dismantled Service Shop appurtenances and demolished Shop walls and roof. Uncontaminated debris taken to local landfill.
- o Excavated the large and small transformer oil tanks from beneath the former Service Shop floor.
- o Discovered new sump designated S8 east of former Shop building.
- o Discovered an apparent well beneath the Shop floor.
- o Discovered two small pits in the vicinity of the South Dry Well.
- o Conducted a site briefing and tour on June 28 for representatives of WDOE.
- o Phase III Investigation Final Report submitted to WDOE.
- o Site soil volume reduction test begun.

II Problems Encountered/Potential Solutions

- o Working with M. Riley to achieve access to areas in, around, under his personal and real property. Scheduled weekly coordination meetings with Riley facilitate access.

III Problems Resolved

- o Not applicable.

IV Deliverables to WDOE/Dates

- o Revised RI Phase 4,5 and FS 1,2 Workplans - 5/17/90
- o Phase III Final Report - 6/22/90

V Next Reporting Period Actions Scheduled

July Actions

- o Complete Service Shop excavations and characterization of soils in excavations.
- o Start Dry Well characterization
- o Complete removal of North warehouse floor, remove sumps and characterize soils beneath sumps.
- o Complete offsite disposal of demolition soil and debris.

VI Key Staffing Changes

- o None